

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re application of

Kazuhisa HATAKEYAMA

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,
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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE A DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

A Petition for a first-month Extension of Time having already been obtained, Petition hereby is made for a second month Extension of Time to respond to the communication of August 6, 2002.

The fee of \$290.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.
() to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
() Small entity status of this application is established by the verified statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 which
() is enclosed.
() has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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